Mr. President : Whatever may have been the practice it is the policy of the Government not to make any exception in the matter of dealing with encroachments. In future, Government propose to take very strict action which is permissible under the law, whether they are Depressed Classes or Caste Hindus who make encroachments.

Mr. A. B. Salem *(Mattancheri):* Have not the landlords got large extensive lands not under cultivation ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Diwan Peishkar):* There are.

Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli):* May I know whether the Government is spending any amount for the acquisition of house sites for the Depressed Classes ?

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):* In certain places where there are no *poramboke* lands orders have been issued for the acquisition.

Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli):* In view of the policy of the Government now made clear will the Government kindly consider the desirability of spending more amounts for land acquisition purposes for assigning lands to Depressed Classes ?

GOVERNMENT LANDS IN TRAVANCORE AND BRITISH INDIA— PARTICULARS REGARDING

19. Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli):*

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the extent (in acres) of landed property owned by the Cochin Government in Travancore and British India (to be shown separately);

(*b*) the Taluks and villages or *pakuthis* where the properties are situated;

(*c*) the annual income received by the Government from the properties referred to in (*a*);

(*d*) the names and designation of officers who are on the spot to collect such income;

(*e*) under whose immediate supervision are the officers referred to in (*d*) doing their work?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Diwan Peishkar):*

British India	*Travancore*
(*a*) 2129·49 acres.	841·40 acres.
(*b*) *i.* Palghat Taluk.	*i.* Parur Taluk.

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Vadamalapuram Range
1 Yakkara
2 Thenari
3 Pallathiri
4 Thiruvalathur
5 Olasseri
6 Kunnanur
7 Kodumba
8 Karinkarapilly
9 Pudusseri
10 Kottakad

Themmalapuram Range
1 Cheramangalam
2 Vadakkethara
3 Thekkethara
4 Puthiankam
5 Pullode
6 Kattusseri
7 Kizhakancheri
8 Mangalam
9 Mudapallur
10 Vandazhi
11 Kavasseri
12 Puthukode
13 Kannambra
14 Kannanur Pattola
15 Padoor
16 Tharoor
17 Choolanur

ii. Cochin Taluk
Cochin *Amsom*

(c) Rs. 19,797—1—3.

(d) (1)
Vadamalapuram Range
P. Madhava Menon, Parvathiam
R. Achyutan Nayar, Menon

(2)
Themmalapuram Range
K. A. Raghavan Ezhuthassan, Parvathiam
A. K. Raman Nayar, Menon

(3)
Cochin *Amsom*
K. Kochunny Menon, Parvathiam
E. Krishna Menon, Menon

(e) Revenue Inspectors of Nemmara & Ernakulam

1 Chengamanad *Pakuthy*
2 Ezhikkara *Pakuthy*
3 Puthenchira

ii. Kunnathunad Taluk
1 Kothakulangara *Pakuthy*
2 Manikkamangalam ,,
3 Vengola ,,
4 Alwaye ,,
5 Vazhakulam ,,
6 Perumpavoor ,,
7 Kizhakkambalam ,,
8 Aikkaranad ,,
9 Kunnathnad ,,
10 Mazhuvannur ,,
11 Chemmanad ,,

iii. Muvattupuzha Taluk
Ramangalam *Pakuthy*

iv. Vycome Taluk
1 Vadayar *Pakuthy*
2 Manakunnam *Pakuthy*

Rs. 4,137—12—2.

(1)
Vellarapilly Oodupully
M. N. Ayyappa Menon, Parvathiam

(2)
Vadavucode Oodupully
V. A. Moideen, Parvathiam

(3)
Puthenchira
R. K. Govindan, Parvathiam of Kottallur

Revenue Inspectors of Chowwara and Irinjalakkuda

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Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli):* May I know whether these officers are permanently placed in the Cochin State establishment or in British or Travancore ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Diwan Peishkar):* They are in the Cochin State establishment.

Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli):* Are they full time officers ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Diwan Peishkar):* Yes.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN LITTORAL TRACTS

20. Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware of the acute unemployment in the littoral areas, and if the answer is in the affirmative, will the Government state whether any steps are taken to remedy this condition ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Diwan Peishkar):* The problem of unemployment is not special to the littoral areas. Broadly speaking, it is less acute in the littoral areas than in other parts of the State. The educated unemployed are being absorbed into the public services as far as possible, and such help as is in the power of Government to render to the industries and occupations in which the uneducated unemployed are engaged in, is being given.

Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* May I know whether petitions were received by the Government regarding unemployment among the workers in the cocoanut husk industry ?

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):* Yes.

Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* When were the petitions received ?

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):* For one or two months there have been complaints about the difficulty of carrying on this trade and Government have almost finished the preliminary work to find a central place in Cochin to stock these coir and in seven or eight days it will be an accomplished fact. It is a very difficult problem and one does not know how to proceed in this matter, because unless we are very careful, it will be a heavy loss. Government will do whatever they can.

Mr. President : Apart from what the Hon'ble Minister has done orders have just now been passed for spending about 85 thousand rupees for the littoral areas for opening of new roads by

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